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In re patent application of: Stephen R. Carter and Delos C. Jensen

Serial No. 09/653,713

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For: A METHOD AND MECHANISM FOR THE CREATION, MAINTENANCE, AND  
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant submits herewith PTO Form 1449 and copies of patents and publications of which he is aware which may be material to the examination of this application and in respect of which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 CFR Section 1.56.

The above-referenced application is related to co-pending U.S. Patent application Serial No. 09/109,804, filed July 2, 1998, and to co-pending U.S. Patent application Serial No. 09/512,963, filed February 25, 2000.

It is understood that the listed references will be considered in the examination of the application and that no separate copies of the same prior art are required to be provided since they were previously cited or transmitted in the foregoing prior application. 37 CFR Section 1.98(d). Copies of forms 892 and 1449 from the prior application are enclosed.

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- under 37 CFR 1.97 (c) together with either a:  
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 Applicant hereby petitions for the consideration of the accompanying information disclosure statement (37 C.F.R. §1.97(d)(ii)).  
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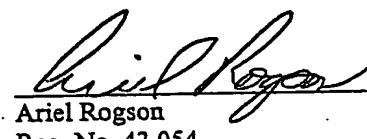
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It is requested that the information disclosed herein be made of record in this application.

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 Applicant herewith submits certain references which the Patent & Trademark Office may wish to consider in examining the above-identified application. The references are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

Copies of the listed references are also provided. With respect to reference C1, which is a 389 page book, submitted herewith are the table of contents, preface and index. Should the Examiner wish to review any other portion of reference C1, please contact the undersigned who will gladly provide copies.

At this time, Applicants do not know the date of publication of one or more of the references. Without making an admission of being prior art, the Applicants suggest that such references be treated as prior art until such time the actual date of publication can be ascertained.

No representation is made or intended that a prior art search has been made or that no better art than that listed is available.

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